

## The Americas (Draft October 22, 2008)

Country	Live Animals	Embryos	Semen	Opportunities
Canada	<a href="#">Protocol Jul 2008</a> Additional comments and requirements found at <a href="#">Canadian Food Inspection Agency - Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE) Import Policy for Small Ruminants and their Products</a>	Requirements found at <a href="#">Canadian Food Inspection Agency - Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE) Import Policy for Small Ruminants and their Products</a>	Requirements found at <a href="#">Canadian Food Inspection Agency - Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE) Import Policy for Small Ruminants and their Products</a>	
Mexico	Slaughter only <a href="#">Health Certificate Protocol Oct 2007</a> For additional information go to <a href="#">SENASICA</a>	No	<a href="#">Protocol Jan 2006</a>	Embryos; Breeding animals
Belize	<a href="#">Protocol 1997</a> ; NCIE checking if current If still current – no prohibitory requirements	No protocols	No protocols	Embryos Semen
Costa Rica	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals Semen Embryos (allows bov)
El Salvador	No (BSE prohibition)	No	<a href="#">Protocol Jan 2007</a>	Embryos (allows bov)
Guatemala	<a href="#">Protocol May 2006</a>	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Honduras	<a href="#">Protocol April 2005</a>	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos

Nicaragua	No (BSE prohibition)	No	Protocol Oct 2005	Embryos (allows bov)
Panama	No, prohibitions because of scrapie	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals – possibility of export certified? Semen Embryos (allows bov)
Argentina	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos (Allows bov)
Bolivia	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen and embryos require risk assessment by SENASAG
Brazil	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols but exempted; NCIE has not received a request to initiate protocols	Protocol Sept 2001; under revision	Embryos
Chile	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos (allows bov)
Colombia	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	Protocol Nov 2007	Embryos
Ecuador	Protocol April 2008	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
French Guyana	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals Semen Embryos
Guyana	Import permit needed	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Paraguay	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos (allows bov)
Peru	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos (allows bov)
Suriname	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals – possibility of export certified? Semen

				Embryos (allows bov)
Uruguay	No (BSE prohibition)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos (allows bov)
Venezuela	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals Semen Embryos
Aruba	Protocol July 2003 (no BSE requirement)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Bahamas	Protocol Sept 2005	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Barbados	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals Semen Embryos
Bermuda	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals Semen Embryos
British Virgin Islands	Protocol Nov 1999 (no BSE requirement)	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Cayman Islands	Protocol Nov 2005	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Cuba	Protocol Feb 2006	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Dominica	Protocol May 2007	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Dominican Republic	Protocol Nov 2007	No protocols	Protocol May 2007	Embryos
Grenada	Protocol Dec 2005	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Haiti	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals (goat protocol 2005) Semen Embryos
Jamaica	Protocol Oct 2005	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
Netherlands Antilles	Protocol Nov 1999	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos
St. Lucia	Protocol Mar 1999	No protocols	No protocols	Semen Embryos

Trinidad and Tobago	No protocols	No protocols	No protocols	Live animals (goat protocol 2004) Semen Embryos
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Green	Currently allowing imports
Yellow	Possibility of imports
Red	Prohibitions on imports; significant challenges to lift restrictions